

Summer 2024

Hello MRCA Families-

I hope you have a rejuvenating summer ahead of you! Here are all the documents included in the MRCA Summer Information Packet:

- [2024-2025 School Calendar](#)
- [School Life Information](#)
- [2024-2025 Uniform Guidelines](#)
- [6th-8th Grade Sports Tryouts Letter](#)
- [School Supplies List](#) and [Online Ordering Information](#) – You may purchase school supplies on your own or use online ordering if you want the ease of prepackaged school supplies. The deadline to order online is July 4th for guaranteed delivery before school starts.
 - **4th – 8th grade students** are required to have a planner for the school year; planners are not provided by MRCA and are not included in the online school supplies order box. Please purchase any type of planner that your child prefers to track assignment due dates and other important deadlines.

MRCA also has some announcements about the upcoming school year to note –


- **School start time on Thursday is changing!** Early Stay (for registered students) will begin at 7:30 am and **car line will run from 8:30 – 8:50 am**. Students not in class by 8:50 am will be marked tardy for the day.
- MRCA's Extended Day will operate until **3:00 pm**. If you need to register for Extended Day (12-3:00 pm) or After-School (3-5:30 pm), please do so via the school app or website. On the website, you will find the registration link under the "Campus Life" tab.
- If you register your child for Early Stay, you will be invoiced through FACTS for an annual **non-refundable fee of \$100** (per family, not per child) at the beginning of the school year. Early Stay is intended for use by working parents only due to limited staffing and space, so please only register if both parents are employed and unable to drop off in regular car line.
- MRCA is updating the school absence policy. Please show your child the importance of their education by having your child at school on time when they are well and able to attend. Excessive absences will now result in a monetary charge per day of absence, just as we do for excessive tardies. The full policy will be available in the 2024-2025 Family Handbook that will be emailed to you the first week of August (and will also be accessible on our website at that time).
- We have slightly tweaked our uniform guidelines. Please see the enclosed guidelines for all the updates which include changes to PE uniforms and appropriate length of uniform bottoms. Help your child adhere to the changes by ensuring they are dressed in approved clothing before leaving for school each morning. Keep an eye out for the Lands' End 20% off, 1¢ logo sale! Stay tuned to MRCA's Instagram page for dates and more details.
- **5th – 8th Grade Middle school families** – Please remember that anything related to your middle schooler should take place at the **middle school reception desk** (in the 7th/8th grade building with the blue awning), including sign in/out, dropping off items, etc. **Middle school P.E. uniforms are required for all 5th – 8th graders**. The required uniform is a navy shirt with our P.E. logo and gray mesh athletic shorts. The P.E. uniform must be purchased through Lands' End. *If your middle school child has P.E. uniform shirts or shorts from a previous year, you do not have to purchase a new one.*
- Car line routes will be sent out to families in August via email before school begins.

In addition to this online copy, the Summer Information Packet has been mailed to you and can also be found on our school app and website. If you have any questions that weren't answered in this packet, please don't hesitate to email me.

Sincerely,



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Don't forget- most
of these pages are
double-sided!